

## News and Notes of Interest

**ADULT BIBLE CLASS:** Join us on today (and possibly June 18) as we continue our series of presentations referred to as Family Systems Theory. These presentations will introduce a framework of understanding for the lives and workings of groups of people. Everyone is encouraged to attend. No one will be put on the spot.

**Q & A about CHILD CARE CENTER:** At the April Voter's Meeting the Board for Parish Education proposed having a Child Care Center and Before & After School Care at the school. Currently approval of this proposal was tabled, so members of the congregation could be given more information and can have the opportunity to ask questions. The congregation is invited to an informational meeting and ice cream social on Sunday, June 11 at 6:00pm in the church basement. The board will present more information and it will be an opportunity for the congregation to ask questions.

**“Father’s Day in the Park” Community Event,** June 18th. Worship at 10:30 under the Chautauqua Tabernacle; 11:30 potluck (St. Paul’s members are asked to bring extra so community members in attendance may stay); 1-3 p.m. Games for all ages and Watermelon Feed! Bring your lawn chair, horseshoes or favorite card/board games and enjoy a fun day with your church family and community members. Table service and drinks provided. (The 8:00am Divine Worship Service will be held at church.)

**SAVE THE DATE:** St. Paul’s Lutheran Church and School Vacation Bible School will be July 17-21, 8:30am – 11:15am. The theme is Mighty Fortress. VBS is for preschool to 5<sup>th</sup> grade children. Any questions please call 402-249-4353. Registration papers for students and volunteers are available in the narthex

**DORCAS BOUTIQUE:** The Boutique has occasional cards and Bibles. Stop on by to see their selections. The Boutique is open between services on Sundays.

**Hearing assistance devices** are available from the ushers to assist the hearing impaired.

**HOME MEETING SIGN-UP:** Signup sheets are located on the bulletin board in the narthex. Dates and times are listed on the sheets. The goal is to have every member of the congregation attend one of these meetings. Please **PRINT** your name on the meeting you plan to attend. You are also asked to consider asking someone who hasn’t been in a while to come with you. More dates and times will be posted as they are available.

**BUSY BAGS** for your child to use and return are available in the Narthex (entryway) of the church. If you need assistance, please ask an usher or greeter.

**The LYF** is asking you to share the love-and your used backpack from this past school year. The NE District 2017 Youth Gathering will be in Omaha from Nov. 17-19. At that Gathering one of the servant events that is planned is to assemble backpacks with school supplies to be shipped to needy students near and far. They are seeking new and used backpacks to use for this event. Many students get a new backpack each year, even though theirs is not worn out? Would you consider donating your backpack from this year to a needy student? You can also purchase a new one and donate it if you choose. There will be a collection box for them. Thank you so much for sharing!!

**Reformation Quote from Martin Luther - John 3:1–15 (16–17)** “Would that for the sake of our corruption and that horrible depravity we could know God and love Him in return! He shows Himself so benign and propitious that He dwells with us and associates with us, albeit invisibly. Yet He does not do so imperceptibly, if I may use that expression. He has given us His Son as a pledge of this love and intimate association (John 3:16). But, those who are smug and irreligious have ears and do not hear.” Luther’s Works 4:257

**Teacher Aide Position Available:** St. Paul’s Lutheran School is seeking a Teacher Aide to begin working this Fall. This will be a part-time, paid position, and will include working with young children and leading small group classroom learning activities, assisting the teacher with preparation of classroom materials, and supervising children at recess and indoor play times. If interested, please contact the school office on Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to noon, or email [aduever@stpaulbeatrice.org](mailto:aduever@stpaulbeatrice.org) to receive an application.



The Holy Trinity  
June 11, 2017

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**WELCOME TO St. Paul's Lutheran Church:** We are glad that you are here as we gather around the Word and Sacraments of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you have not already done so, we ask that you would sign the guest book at the entrance to the church. If you do not have a church home and are interested in the teachings of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, or if you are interested in becoming a member here at St. Paul's, please contact the church office.

**The Sacrament of the Altar** is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in, with and under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink, instituted by Christ Himself. As we receive the Lord's Supper together, witness is also given that we are united in the faith we confess (one in doctrine). Therefore, in faithfulness to our Lord, and in love for you, St. Paul's follows the Biblical and historic practice of closed communion.

**ALL GUESTS** must visit with our pastor or an elder before coming to the altar to receive the Lord's Supper. If you do not have opportunity to visit with our pastor or an elder prior to the service, they are more than willing to visit with you during the week.

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:** We pray for ...

- Carla Loemker, Mary Ann Stohs
- Continuing prayers: Lodeen Clausen, Dawn Crosier, Leonard Esch, Elaine Girl (sister of Jane Oeltjen), June Martin, Pete Oestreich, and Ann Kelley.

Please call 402-228-1540 by Thursday if you have a petition to be included in the prayers.

### *In His Service*

Preacher: Rev. Dr. J. Dirk Reek (Home: 402-476-2828)

Organist: Vivian Zimmerman

#### **8:00am Service**

Acolytes: Aaron Meyer, Natalie Klaus, Victoria Klaus

Elders: David Doering, Eric Klaus

Greeters: Vicki Frerking

Ushers: Ron Buss, Duane Delozier, Wayne Schulz

#### **10:30am Service**

Acolytes: Graham Southwick, Jenna Junker, Sydney Southwick

Elders: Duane Delozier, Mike Southwick

Greeters: Bob & Lorelie Ankersen

Ushers: Terry Brethouwer, Jeff Junker, Vern Rogge, David Trout

**Today's radio broadcast** is sponsored in memory of Judy Shaneyfelt, whose Birthday would have been June 16<sup>th</sup>, by Duane and Irene Daubendiek.

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## *Gifts of Time and Treasure*

Attendance & Contributions Last Week		
8:00 AM Service	81	\$2,975.00
10:30 AM Service	79	\$2,710.00
Monday Night Service	21	\$735.00

**COINS FOR CHRIST:** All loose coins in Sunday offerings during the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter are designated to the Orphan Grain Train. Total amount collected so far \$53.57.

## *The Lord's Week*

Today	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Class – Family Systems Theory
	10:30	Divine Service
Monday	1:00	Home Meeting
	3:30	Home Meeting
	6:00	Q & A About Child Care Center
Tuesday	7:00	Weekday Service of Holy Communion
	7:45	Home Meeting
Thursday	12:00	Ladies Quilting/Tying
Saturday	10:00	Altar Guild
Sunday	8:00	Divine Service
	9:15	Adult Bible Class – Family Systems Theory
	10:30	Service in the Park
	11:30	Church Potluck & Activities at the Park

**Church office hours** are 8:30am-1:30pm, Monday thru Friday.

The Church office will be closed June 27<sup>th</sup> and June 28<sup>th</sup>.

Pastor Reek will be in the church office on Monday's from 2:30pm until after service and Wednesday's from 9:30-1:00pm. Anyone needing / wishing to visit personally with pastor, please contact the church office.

Pastor Reek can also be reached at 402-476-2828 or at

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